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MISSOULA--

Three University of Montana faculty members will speak in different Montana communities this week in conjunction with Earth Day Wednesday.

Dr. Arnold J. Silverman, a UM geology professor, and Dr. George F. Weisel, a zoology professor, will discuss air pollution and water pollution, respectively, during a four-man debate at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday (April 21) at Carroll College, Helena. The program is open to the public without charge.

The other two men participating in the debate will be representatives of industry.

Another UM faculty member, Dr. Meyer Chessin, a botany professor, will speak on "Montana and The Environmental Crisis" at 10 a.m. Wednesday (April 22) at Great Falls Public High School during an all-school assembly.

Dr. Chessin's talk will focus attention on the environmental problems of the Great Falls area.

Drs. Silverman and Chessin opened Earth Month activities at Northern Montana College, Havre, on April 1 with a discussion about Montana and the environmental crises, including industrial air and water pollution, the large-scale pesticide and herbicide problems, and the Intercontinental Ballistic Missile installations and their implications for Central and Northern Montana.

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